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Genoua, Sept. 18.

THIS week arrived here two of our Galleys laden with Silk from *Meſſina*. The Spaniſh Galleys, we are told, are now at *Porta Specia*; They were ſome days ago in very bad weather, and received ſo much damage that they muſt come hither to refit; And from hence they will go for *Barcelona*. This week arrived here from *Turin* the General of the Artillery to the Duke of *Savoy*, to deſire leave of this Government to carry twelve great Pieces of Cannon and ſix Mortars through their Territories to *Voltre*, a place ten Miles to the Weſtward of this City, in order to tranſport them from thence to *Nizza*, which the Senate hath conſented to.

Venice, Sept. 22. We have no freſh Letters from our Fleet; According to the laſt we had Captain General *Moroſini* was ſtill in the Neighborhood of *Coron*, giving the neceſſary Orders for the repairing the Fortifications of that place which were very much ruined in the Siege. Several new raiſed Troops are arrived at the *Lido* from the *Terra Firma*, who will be muſtered there the next week, and then ſent to the Army, which it's believed will Winter in the *Morea*. Cardinal *Delfino* arrived here the beginning of this week, and will in few days part again from hence for *Padua*. The Ambaſſador of this Republick at the Court of *France* having finiſhed the uſual time of Reſidence there, the Senate are about chuſing a Perſon of Merit to ſucceed him, and it's believed the Senator *Lando*, who is now on the part of this State at *Rome*, will be named for that Embaſſie. The Letters from *Dalmatia* tell us that the Morlaques, ſince the late Invaſion they made into the Turkiſh Territories under the Command of the Chevalier *Fanco*, are preparing for another great Incurſion, which they intend to make towards the Iron Mines which the Turks have in *Boſnia*. In the mean time the Senate have ordered a conſiderable number of Arms to be forthwith ſent to *Dalmatia* for the uſe of the Morlaques which are in the Service of the Republick.

Marſeilles, Sept. 28. The Envoy that was lately ſent to *Tunis* by his Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty is returned with good ſucceſs in his Negotiation there. The 15 French Galleys, which have been all along the Coaſt of *Spain* as far as *Alicant*, are come back, and are expected in this Port to morrow or next day; And we have an account that the Mareſchal *d'Eſtrees* is arrived with the Ships under his command at the Iſles of *Heires*. Ten other Galleys are now fitting out here with great diligence, and the ſame number of Ships at *Toulon*.

Warſaw, Sept. 20. The laſt Letters from the Poliſh Army left them Encamped near the *Nieſter*, having made a Bridge over that River in order to paſs it. The Crown-General had ſent out ſeveral Parties to learn News of the Enemy, who lay on the other ſide of the *Nieſter* obſerving the Motions of the Poles; Their number was not certainly known, the Country People giving various accounts of it, but according to the beſt intelligence it could not exceed 30000 Men. In the mean time the Poliſh Parties have had ſeveral Rencounters with the Tartars, wherein they have hither to ſtill had the advantage, which however does not diſcourage the Enemy from making their Incurſions, from whence for the moſt part they return with good ſtore of Plunder. We have not lately received any News of moment from *Moſcovy*; But it is ſtill reported that the Czars are reſolved to maintain the Peace and good Correſpondence between them and this Crown; and that they have given leave to the Coſſacks that are ſubject to them to invade the Countries as well of the Turk as the Tartar. We have advice that a Body of Turks have poſted themſelves near *Niemirow*.

Vienna, Sept. 28. We have an account that General *Schultz* after the Reduction of *Eſperies*, (where he found 33 Pieces of Cannon and three Mortars, but very little Ammunition) and having diſarmed the Inhabitants, and received from the Magiſtrates an Oath of Fidelity to the Emperor, marched to *Caſchaw* and inveſted the place, which it's not doubted he is by this time Maſter of. The Duke of *Lorrain* is removed from his Camp at *Barkan* nearer to *Comorra*, having beſides the Detachement he ſent under the Command of the Baron *de Mercy* and Colonel *Heuſler* towards *Agria*, Commanded 14 Regiments to march to *Zolnock* on the *Theis*. Three thouſand Foot of the Bavarian Forces are marched to Upper *Hungary*, where they are to have their Winter-Quarters, the reſt of his Electoral Highneſs's Foot will be quartered in ſome other of the Emperor's Countries, but the Cavalry has Orders ſo ſoon as the Campagne is ended to go home to Winter in his Electoral Highneſs's Territories. The Seraſquier *Jonahim* is poſted with the remains of his Army between *Buda* and the Bridge of *Eſſeck*, till the ſaid Bridge can be repaired, which he has Orders to repaſs, and to return with his Cavalry to *Adrianople* for the ſecurity of the Grand Signior's Perſon. He has it's ſaid ſent again to the Duke of *Lorrain* to propoſe a perpetual Peace, which he has full Power to conclude. Our Advices from *Buda* aſſure us that Proviſions are ſo ſcarce there that the Gariſon is hardly able to ſubſiſt, and that the Soldiers deſert daily. The Envoy from Count *Teckeley*, whoſe Propoſals have been abſolutely rejected, has however obtained leave to remain here ſome days longer; Thoſe of his Party deſert him daily; And we have reaſon to hope that in a ſhort time all the Upper *Hungary* will be reduced under the Emperor's Obedience. This week the Ambaſſador from the Elector Palatine had his Publick Audience, and received on the behalf of his Electoral Highneſs the Inveſture of the Fiefs of the *Palatinate* with the accuſtomed Ceremonies. The Emperor has declared Prince *Charles* of *Neubourg*, Count *Caraffa*, Count *Scaffenberg*, Count *Souches*, Count *Gondola*, Count *Taff*, the Baron *de Mercy*, the Prince *de Picolomini*, and the Prince *de Montecuculi* Mareſchal *de* Camp Generals, and the Count *d'Apremont*, the Marquiſs *de Negrelli*, the Count *de Veterani*, the Baron *de Becke*, and the Baron *de Heiſter* Major-Generals of Batallia, in Conſideration of the good Services performed by them. The Emperor has Ratified the Articles for the ſurrender of *Eſperies*, which are as follow.

The Articles for the Surrender of *Eſperies*, *September* 11. 1685.

I. *THE Governor being a* German *with the other Officers ſhall have Imployment in the Emperor's Service in the ſame Quality they now are in.* II. *The*

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